

# QUICK REFERENCE CARD

## System Requirements

### Windows

Pentium, Windows 95/98/NT 4, high color (16-bit, thousands of colors) or greater, 16 MB free RAM, 50 MB free hard drive space, CD-ROM drive, audio card (optional), 16- or 24-bit color video, 14" monitor. SHOW will not run on a 486 computer.

### Macintosh

Power Macintosh, MacOS 8.1 or later, 16-bit video (thousands of colors) or greater, 16 MB free RAM, 50 MB free hard drive space, CD-ROM drive, 16- or 24-bit color video, 14" monitor



**Installing SHOW** It's Fast and Easy!

**Version 1.5**

### For Windows users,

1. If necessary, **launch Windows (95, 98 or NT 4)**.  
SHOW will not install in Windows NT 3.5.1 or Windows 3.X.
2. **Insert the SHOW CD-ROM** into your CD-ROM drive. The installer and all related files reside in the root directory of the SHOW CD-ROM.
3. If using Windows 95/98/NT4, **select Start menu>Run**.
4. **Type the letter corresponding to your CD-ROM drive, followed by ":\setup"** (e.g., type "d:\setup" if using the D drive), and click the **"OK"** button. Then just follow the prompts.

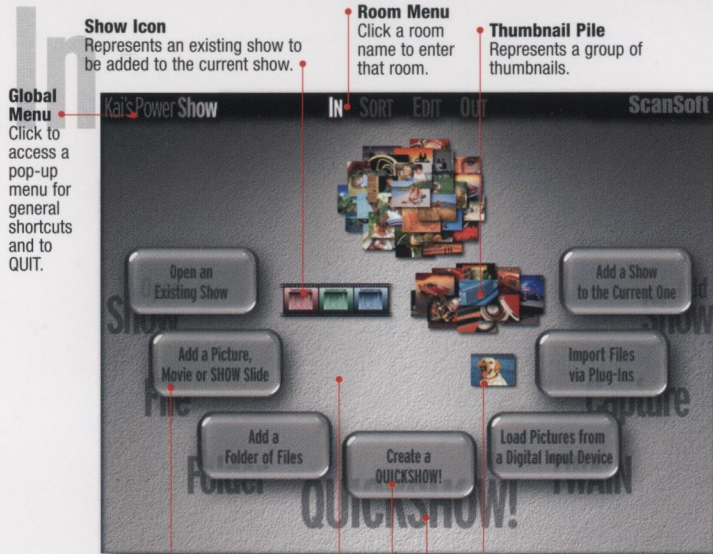
### For Macintosh users,

1. **Insert the SHOW CD-ROM** into your CD-ROM drive.
2. **Double-click the SHOW CD-ROM icon** on the desktop.
3. **Double-click the SHOW Installer icon** to begin installation.
4. The installation dialog displays an important ReadMe.  
**Click "Continue" after reading the complete ReadMe.**
5. In the main install window, **click "Install"**.

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**Feature Button**  
Clicks to perform the specific task.

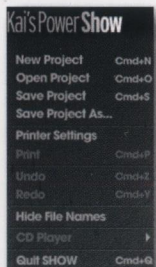
**Desktop Area**  
Displays all imported files in the IN and SORT rooms.

**Thumbnail Icon**  
Represents a single photo, picture, business slide or video clip.

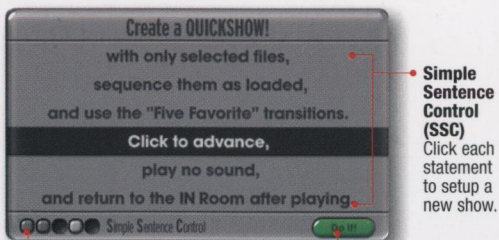
**QUICKSHOW!**  
Select to create a presentation – fast!

**Text Label**  
Move the cursor over a label to display its Feature Button.

## Global Menu



## QUICKSHOW!® Dialog



# Sort

**Sort Control**  
Click to reveal thumbnail sort options.

**Memory Dots**  
Click to save and recall sorted thumbnails as a preset.

**Size Control**  
Click to resize selected thumbnails.

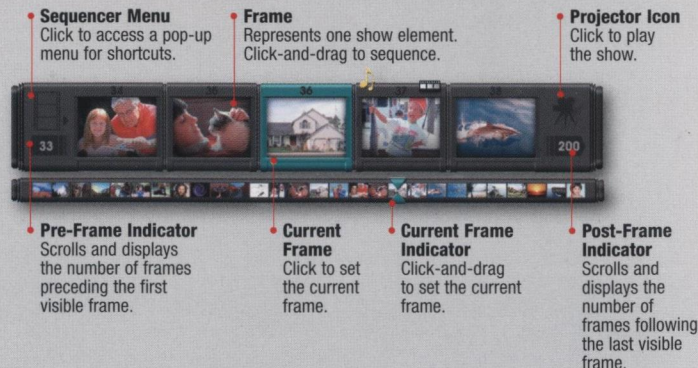
**Sequencer**  
Displays a segment of the show's content and order with frame detail.

**Sequence Floatoid**  
Click to load selected thumbnails into the Sequencer.

**Select Control**  
Click to reveal thumbnail selection options.



## Sequencer and Nano Sequencer





# Edit



**In Transitions Label**  
Click to access transition options.

**"Five Favorites" Dots**  
Click to select user-definable presets.

**In Transition Window**  
Displays the In frame and transition (when clicked).

**Current Frame Window**  
Displays the current frame in the Sequencer and Nano Sequencer.

**Sound fx Label**  
Click to access sound effect options.

**Out Transitions Label**  
Click to access transition options.

**Out Transition Window**  
Displays the Out frame and transition (when clicked).

**Sound Icon**  
Indicates that a sound clip is attached.

**Video Icon**  
Indicates that a video clip is attached.

## In and Out Transition Dialogs

**Scroll Button**  
Click-and-drag to scroll.

**Transition Menu**  
Click to select a transition.

**Transition Preview**  
Displays a real-time preview of the selected transition using the In or Out and Current frames.

**"Five Favorites" Dots**  
Click on an empty dot to set the highlighted option as a preset.

**Speed Control**  
Click-and-drag the slider to adjust transition speed.

**Done Button**  
Click to exit the dialog.

**Randomize Control**  
Click to preview random transitions. Click anywhere to stop and select one.

## Sound fx Dialog

**Sound fx Menu**  
Click to select a sound clip.

**Scroll Button**  
Click-and-drag to scroll.



**Sound fx Categories**  
Click category dots to access sound effect options.

**"Five Favorites" Dots**  
Click on an empty dot to set the highlighted option as a preset.

**"My Audio" Category**  
Click to access your .wav files placed in the "My Audio" folder.

**Randomize Control**  
Click to preview random sound effects. Click anywhere to stop and select one.

**Done Button**  
Click to exit the dialog.

## Backgrounds & Templates



**Background Categories**  
Click to preview more options.

## Text fx Dialog

**"Five Favorites" Dots**  
Click on an empty dot to set the highlighted option as a preset.

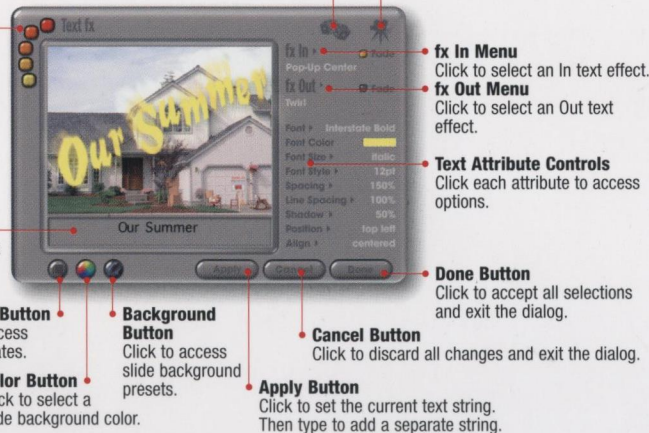
**Text Entry Box**  
Type to enter a text string.

**Template Button**  
Click to access text templates.

**Color Button**  
Click to select a slide background color.

**Randomize Control**  
Click to preview random text effects. Click anywhere to stop and select one.

**Projector Icon**  
Click to preview the selections.



**fx In Menu**  
Click to select an In text effect.

**Text Attribute Controls**  
Click each attribute to access options.

**Done Button**  
Click to accept all selections and exit the dialog.

**Cancel Button**  
Click to discard all changes and exit the dialog.

**Apply Button**  
Click to set the current text string. Then type to add a separate string.

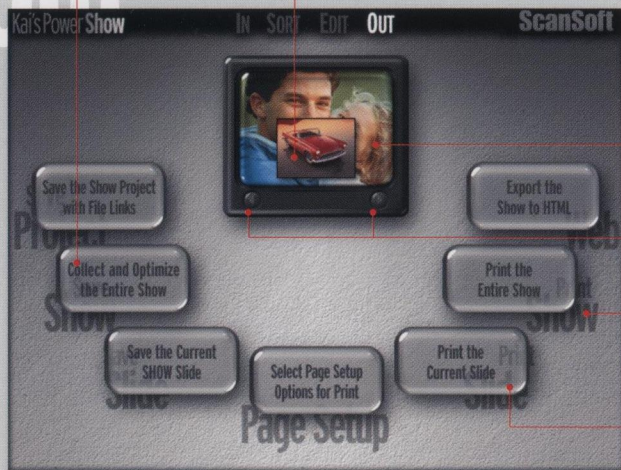


## Save Show

Select this option to send shows to others.

## Nano Output Preview

Click-and-drag on the Output Preview to quickly scrub through the show.



**Output Preview**  
Preview and select specific frames to save or print.

**Scroll Arrows**  
Click to scroll through the show.

**Text Label**  
Move the cursor over a label to display its Feature Button.

**Feature Button**  
Click to perform the specific task.

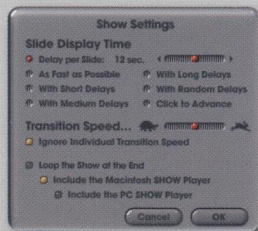
## Page Setup Dialog

Select page setup options for print.



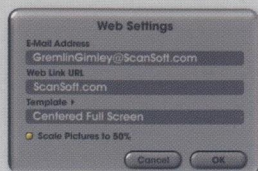
## Show Settings Dialog

Appears when saving a show.



## Web Settings Dialog

Appears when exporting a static show to the Web.



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